

## THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 5.

**DIES IN.**—Twice within the past twelve months the stars have been swept out of Heaven like ripe leaves. Only a few days since a grand eruption of Vesuvius filled the heavens with broad flame, and the earth with terror. Nearly at the same hour, an island of the Spanish Main went down in the throes of a terrible earthquake, and all its souls were expunged in a single pulsation of time. A year ago, not less than a million people perished wretchedly in India of starvation. And during the recent Teiping rebellion in China, twenty-five millions of her teeming population were destroyed. All the world over there were wars and rumors of wars. In this country there is anarchy, pestilence, poverty, confusion of tongues, false prophets, Thad. Stevens, the Alabama Convention, cruises, Reconstruction, the Washington Chronicle, and a ghost or the devil at Scottsville, in Albemarle.

Every prudent man, in view of these sinister omens, should select a convenient sapling and be prepared on short notice to bid this vain world adieu and climb the said sapling for refuge.—*Lynchburg Republican.*

Mrs. Frances Lord Bond, as the representative of the female suffrage interest, has filed her application for the mission to England, upon the assumption that Mr. Adams will be called home to take a position in the Cabinet.

A letter from Fort Harker, Kansas, under date of November 27, received in Baltimore on Tuesday, states that the Indians, now that they have made peace with the government, appear to be fighting among themselves.

## VALUABLE COUNTRY SEAT. BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND ALEXANDRIA, LAND AND CITY LOTS AT PRIVATE SALE.

The estate called WARWICK, four miles from Washington city, and two from Alexandria, on the railroad and turnpike between the two cities.

The property will be sold in three parts, viz.: 1. FIFTY-SIX ACRES, with BRICK DWELLING, containing 11 rooms, and out-buildings. On this land are an orchard, in full bearing; a market garden, grapes, shrubbery, orest and ornamental trees, and a never failing well of excellent water. The junction station on the Washington and Alexandria Railroad, with the Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad, is within a few minutes' walk. The scenery and view are of unsurpassed beauty, and the surroundings unexcelled.

2. THIRTY-EIGHT ACRES of fine meadow land, about fifty yards from the junction, and the view from the station is magnificent. This is excellent land for grain and hay, and for market gardening.

3. TWENTY-FIVE ACRES on the old Leesburg road, about midway between the Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad, and the view from this situation is beautiful and extensive, and the neighborhood very agreeable.

The above property will be shown by the family residing at Warwick.

Also, the following lots in Alexandria: ONE ACRE, adjoining the Loudoun and Hampshire depot, bounded by Pendleton, Fairfax and Water streets.

ONE ACRE, on the south side of Madison street, extending from Fairfax to Royal st.

ONE ACRE, on the south side of Montgomery street, a few yards from the Canal Basin, and extending from Washington to St. Asaph street, the lot is occupied by the Washington and Alexandria Railroad.

A lot on the south side of Queen street, between Patrick and Alfred streets, about 20 feet front, and 100 deep, to a 15 foot alley, with two small tenements thereon.

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## AUCTION SALES.

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE LAND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY.** By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at its November term, 1887, in the suit of Barnes & Co., administrators vs. J. H. Barnes & Co., the undersigned, commissioners, named in said decree, will, on the 16th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1887, (that being the first day of the County Court,) offer, at public sale, in front of the Court House of said county, a TRACT OF LAND, containing 124 acres, situate in the farm lately of Hamlet, and being the same as was assigned heretofore to the late John Barnes real estate. It has thereon a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, with the usual out buildings, an abundance of wood, excellent water, under a good state of cultivation, and lies about 1 mile from the O. & A. R. R., and 1 mile from Fairfax Station, and about the same from Sangster's. This farm is valuable, and offers great inducements to persons desirous to invest in real estate, being the most productive farm in that neighborhood.

**TERMS OF SALE** as prescribed by the Court: One-fourth of the purchase money in hand, liable to be forfeited, and the land resold at the risk of the purchaser, should he fail to complete his purchase, upon confirmation by the Court; the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, and a retention of the title until the last payment is made. Cost of conveyance and stamps at the expense of the purchaser.

M. D. BALL, THOS. MOORE, Commissioners of Sale.

Fairfax county, nov 14—law4w

**VALUABLE MILL SEAT FOR SALE.** Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered in the suit of E. O. Powell, & Co. vs. Hunter, & Co., the undersigned, as Commissioner, will, on the 16th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1887, (that being Court Monday,) offer, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House of said county, that valuable property known as the "N. T. E. R. S. MILL SEAT," situate in the farm lately of Hamlet, and being the same as was assigned heretofore to the late John Barnes real estate. It has thereon a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, with the usual out buildings, an abundance of wood, excellent water, under a good state of cultivation, and lies about 1 mile from the O. & A. R. R., and 1 mile from Fairfax Station, and about the same from Sangster's. This farm is valuable, and offers great inducements to persons desirous to invest in real estate, being the most productive farm in that neighborhood.

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**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE LAND, IN KING GEORGE COUNTY, VA.** In virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of King George county, pronounced in the suit of Quisenberry's Administratrix vs. Quisenberry and others, the subscribers, therein appointed special commissioners, will, on THURSDAY, the 5th day of December, 1887, (that being Court day) at King George C. H., the tract of land, in the decree and proceedings mentioned, called "THE COTTAGE."

The "Cottage" contains 724 acres. It is beautiful, and is situated in the farm lately of Hamlet, and being the same as was assigned heretofore to the late John Barnes real estate. It has thereon a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, with the usual out buildings, an abundance of wood, excellent water, under a good state of cultivation, and lies about 1 mile from the O. & A. R. R., and 1 mile from Fairfax Station, and about the same from Sangster's. This farm is valuable, and offers great inducements to persons desirous to invest in real estate, being the most productive farm in that neighborhood.

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## RAILROAD LINES.

**ALEXANDRIA, LOUDOUN AND HAMPSHIRE RAILROAD.**

**NEW ARRANGEMENT.** BEGINNING MONDAY, JUNE 3, 1884.

Leave Alexandria daily, except Sundays, at 8 a. m., for Leesburg, returning leave Leesburg at 12:15 p. m. Connecting at Leesburg with Peacock's Line of First-class Coaches, which leave Leesburg on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for Hamilton, Parcellville, Snickersville, Berryville, Winchester and Capon Springs; returning leaving Winchester on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Leaves Leesburg for Middleburg on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, on the arrival of the railroad train from Alexandria, and arrives at Middleburg at 3 p. m. Leaves Middleburg Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7 a. m., and arrives at Leesburg at 12 m., and (per railroad) arrives at Alexandria at 3 p. m., in ample time for Washington and Baltimore the same day. From and after June 3, the coaches will run daily from Winchester to Capon Springs.

**FARE:** FROM ALEXANDRIA TO Leesburg.....\$2.00 Capon Springs.....\$2.75 Hamilton..... 2.75 Ball's Mills..... 2.25 Parcellville..... 3.00 Aldie..... 2.75 Middleburg..... 4.50 Winchester..... 5.00

Goods per New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore steam lines, and Adams' Express, to care of R. H. Havenner, Freight Agent, at Alexandria, will be forwarded as far as Leesburg free of charge, other than our regular tariff rates. Commutator Passengers' Tickets between Alexandria and Leesburg and intermediate Stations at cheap rates.

**WASHINGTON BLYTHE,** General Superintendent.

**BUCKLAND WOOLLEN FACTORY.** The undersigned having become the owners of the "Buckland Mills," Prince William Co., Va., two and a half miles from Gainesville Station on the Manassas Gap Railroad, have put the same in thorough repair, and now prepared to fill all orders for woolen goods.

**BEST WOOLLEN FABRICS.** By the addition of new and improved machinery they hope to manufacture goods that will compete with the best, both in the texture and finish, in the markets. They have engaged an experienced gentleman who has had an experience of twenty years in the best woolen mills of England, and is known to be thoroughly skilled in the business. Every effort will be made to make their establishment worthy of the support and encouragement of those who desire the development of the manufacturing interests of the State, and the undersigned hope to receive a generous support in the undertaking.

The highest market price will be paid for wool, either in mass or cloth.

**JOHN B. HUNTON & CO.** Prince Wm. co., nov 14—com3m

**FURS! FURS! FURS!** JOHN T. EVANS has just returned from the manufacturers with a large and splendid assortment of LADIES' MISSES' & CHILDREN'S FURS, such as Sable Muffs, Collars and Talmes.

Russian Mink " " " " Siberian Squirrel " " " " Canada Sable " " " " Mink " " " " Siberian Squirrel Muffs " " " " Brimstone and Swansdown, for trimming Children's Cloaks.

Furs cleaned and repaired in the best manner. Also, an excellent stock of GENTS' FUR COATS AND BOYS' HATS AND CAPS.

He feels assured that his long experience in business has enabled him to buy on such advantageous terms as to defy competition.

**REYMOND REFINED SUGARS AND SYRUPS.** This day receiving per schr. Alice Curtis, another consignment of refined sugar from the refinery of G. J. MORRIS & CO., Richmond, which I am instructed to sell as low as they can be bought in Baltimore. These Sugars have been tried by our confectioners and pronounced equal to any they ever used.

Confectioners and Merchants would do well to examine them.

**OFFER FOR SALE.** 200 bbls. "A," "Circle A," "B," "C," "O" Yellow, "C Extra," and Yellow. 40 bbls. Virginia Golden Syrup. nov 5—tf

**NOVEMBER 7TH, 1887.**

**CLOAKS! AND CLOTH CLOAKS!** Open this our new CLOAKS! Also, elegant Cloth—all kinds, of the latest styles. [nov 7] L. L. WOOD.

**LEWIS PURE WHITE LEAD, pure Linseed Oil, Boiled Oil, Copal Varnish, Furniture and Coach; Spirits Turpentine, Crude Petroleum, Machine Oil, Neatsfoot, Lard, Spermin, Whale and Kerosene Oil; Paints of all kinds, both dry and ground, in oil—a full supply received and for sale at the lowest prices.**

**PAINTS, OILS, &c.**—Lewis' Pure Lead, boiled and Raw Linseed Oil; Spirits Turpentine, Japan Varnish, Putty, French and American Window Glass, just received and for sale at lowest cash prices, by E. S. LEADBEATER & CO., nov 28—Fairfax street

**BLANK BOOKS.**—Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Cash Books, Pocket Memoranda, Pass Books, Indexed, Pencil, Order, Grain, Milk, Time, Composition and Copy Books. The French Letter Press Copying Books received and for sale at the lowest prices.

**RHEUMATIC CORDIALS.** We have just received another lot of this valuable remedy, and take pleasure in recommending it as we know of several cases that have been cured by using it. For sale by nov 12 E. S. LEADBEATER & CO.

**STEEL PENS.**—Gillott's celebrated, Nos. 170, 294 and 303; Perry's Classical, Nos. 36, fine and extra fine points; Esterbrook's White Albate; The Falcon, Index, Swan Quill, National Amalgam, Fountain, Star and Public Pens, received and for sale by nov 11 JOHN H. PARROTT.

**DRESS TRIMMINGS! DRESS TRIMMINGS!** An immense stock of Trimmings, new styles, all qualities, very handsome, just received, oc 19 CHAS. W. GREEN, 68, King st.

**CONDURAY'S FRENCH POMADES and Perfumery, Parfais's Cologne Water, fine English and French Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Honey, Glycerine and Elder Flower Toilet Soaps, for sale by nov 9 JANNEY & CO.**

**GERMAN CHEMICAL SOAP, MOULD CANDLES AND BI CARBON SODA.**—10 boxes German Chemical Soap; 10 do Mould Candles; 10 do 10 half bbls Super Carb Soda, just received and for sale by nov 10 A. J. FLEMING.

**CLOAKS AND SACQUES.** An assortment of beautiful Cloth Cloaks and Sacques, just received by nov 20 HARPER & BRO.

**PURE VIRGIN SALAD OIL.**—a very superior article. Also, Neatsfoot Oil, Train Oil, Lard Oil, fine Spindle Oil, The Natural Lubricator, received and for sale by nov 9 JANNEY & CO.

**CIDER.**—A consignment of Cider, in store, and for sale by nov 6—tf GWIN, BECKHAM & CO., 23, King street.

**GENTS' NECK TIES, CRAVATS, SCARFS, &c.** A large and elegant assortment of new styles for gentlemen, just received, oc 16 CHAS. W. GREEN, 68, King st.

**EXTRA FLOUR** of Valley brands always on hand, and for sale by GWIN, BECKHAM & CO., 23 King street.

**PORTO RICO SUGAR, COFFEE AND ADAMANTINE CANDLES.** 5 hds P. R. Sugar. 15 bags Rio Coffee. 3 pockets old Manila do. 10 boxes Adamantine Candles, received in store and for sale by A. J. FLEMING, nov 18 No. 9, King st.

**CORAL LIME.** Expected to arrive daily, 3 cargoes of Lowest Mountain, Lykens Valley Coal. Schooner Susan McDowell, 202 " Lizzie A. Bennett, 196 " Commerce, 100 " JOHN LEATHERLAND, nov 14 No. 26, King street.

**SUPERIOR GUNPOWDER AND JAPAN TEAS,** just received and for sale by HARRIS HUGH, Cor. Pitt and Prince streets.

**POTOMAC SHAD AND HERRING,** for sale by [nov 13] J. C. MILBURN.

## STEAMBOAT LINES.

**POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE.** FOR ALEXANDRIA, WASHINGTON, AND GEORGETOWN, D. C. CONNECTING AT AQUA CREEK WITH THE RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG & POTOMAC R. R.

**THE STEAMER EXPRESS.** Captain A. C. Nickle, leaves Baltimore from Pier No. 8, Light street wharf, every TUESDAY, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the above cities, and stopping at the following way point is on the Potomac: Point Lookout, Pine Point, Rowell's Wharf, Curritum Bay, Burch's Wharf, Stone's Wharf, Chapel Point, Mathias Point, Aquia Creek, connecting with railroad to Fredericksburg and Richmond, Smith's Pt. and Glymont. Returning leaves Washington at 6 a. m., and Alexandria at 7 a. m. every SATURDAY.

**THE STEAMER KENBEC.** Captain E. S. Talbot, leaves Baltimore from Pier No. 8, Light street wharf, every FRIDAY, at 4 p. m., for the above cities, and stopping at the following point is on the Potomac River: Mundy's Point, Kinsale, Pine Point, Plowden's Wharf, Pope's Creek, Mathias Point, Nanjemoy Stores, Aquia Creek, connecting with railroad to Fredericksburg and Richmond, Smith's Point and Glymont. Returning leaves Washington at 6 a. m., and Alexandria at 7 a. m. every WEDNESDAY.

Freight of all descriptions carried at low rates. For further information, apply to J. BRODERS & CO., No. 11, King street, Alexandria.

**J. B. BRYAN & BRO.,** 345 Pennsylvania av., Washington, D. C., NEEDHAM & SONS, 142 Light St., Baltimore, Md. Agents, Georgetown, Va.

**FOR BALTIMORE.** **THE STEAMER COLUMBIA.** Capt. JAMES HARPER, having received a new boiler, and been thoroughly refitted, has resumed her regular trips, leaving Baltimore every SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock p. m. for Washington, Alexandria, and Georgetown, stopping at all her former landings.

Returning, will leave Alexandria every WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 7 o'clock. All way freight must be prepaid. For freight and passage apply to mh 5-10m B. WHEAT, Agent.

**PACKETS.** **NEW MERCHANTS' LINE.** NEW YORK, ALEXANDRIA, WASHINGTON & GEORGETOWN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

**THE STEAMSHIP E. C. KNIGHT** and **JOHN GIBSON** will sail from pier 20, East River, New York, for Alexandria, and the District of Columbia, every SATURDAY EVENING at 4 o'clock; and will leave Alexandria every FRIDAY EVENING, at 4 o'clock, for New York.

The steamships of this line are first-class, and sail weekly between the above named ports. The Company have made thorough arrangements for the transportation of through freight to all points north; and connecting with the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire, and Alexandria and Baltimore Railroads, and all points South and West.

All freight must be sent to the dock early on the day of sailing. For freight and passage apply to HENRY C. WINSHIP, No. 31, North Union st., Alexandria, Va. Agents, Washington and Georgetown, SMITH, BROWN & CO., Agents, 72 South st., New York.

**NEW YORK, WASHINGTON, AND ALEXANDRIA EXPRESS LINE STEAMERS.** **OLD LINE.** This line will be regularly kept up during the winter months by good and substantial OUTSIDE STEAMSHIPS, leaving once a week, from pier 15